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The sanitary conditions of this port and vicinity are good. Five deaths occurred during the week as follows: May 13, an adult, 32 years, from delirium tremens; May 15, an adult, 32 years, from pernicious fever; May 17, an adult, 32 years, from remittent fever; May 18, an adult, 22 years, from acute nephritis, and May 19, an adult, 30 years, from abortion.

Respectfully, J. GREY THOMAS,
Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

PORT LIMON, COSTA RICA, *May 22, 1900.*

SIR: Your communication received this date in reference to the yellow fever epidemic at San Salvador. I think there is very little danger of infection here, as persons have to go a roundabout way to get to this port.

I have made a trip to San José, and found the town in a healthy condition.

Respectfully, J. GREY THOMAS,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
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CUBA.

Report from Cienfuegos, Casilda, and Santa Cruz del Sur.

CIENFUEGOS, CUBA, *May 28, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to report that during the week ended May 26, 16 deaths have occurred in this city, 2 from malaria, 2 from intestinal diseases and 3 from tuberculosis. No contagious diseases reported in this city. Five deaths occurred in the civil hospital. Death rate for the week is 20.85. No alien steerage passengers landed at this port.

During the past week I made an inspection of the subports of this quarantine district, being absent from the 19th to the 26th instant; the result of the inspection will be made the subject of a special report. On the 26th instant I cabled the Bureau in regard to the yellow fever at Santa Clara Barracks, there being at that time 2 cases on hand and 3 deaths. As soon as complete details of the matter can be learned a full report will be made to the Bureau. Seven vessels entered this port and 10 received bills of health for other ports during the week.

Casilda.—Dr. Alejandro Cantero reports 5 deaths in the city of Trinidad during the week, 2 deaths from tuberculosis. No contagious diseases. Health of port good. No foreign vessel inspected during the week.

Santa Cruz del Sur.—Dr. Juan R. Xiques reports the inspection of 1 foreign vessel during the week.

The following certificates for passengers and baggage have been issued at Cienfuegos during the past week: Steamship *Burnside*, U. S. A. transport, certificates to passengers, 18; baggage inspected and passed, 15. Steamship *Niagara*, certificates to passengers, 15; baggage inspected and passed, 25. Steamship *Cienfuegos*, certificates to passengers, 1; baggage inspected and passed, 1.

Respectfully, F. E. TROTTER,
Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

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